Shakespeare Resources

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PRINT RESOURCES

Biographical Information on William Shakespeare

Berryman's Shakespeare PR2894 .B45 1999
Shakespeare: A Life PR2894 .H65

General/Encyclopedias

All Things Shakespeare PR2892 O56 2002 Ref
Dictionary of Shakespeare PR2892 W43 1998 Ref
Everyman’s Companion to Shakespeare PR2976 E9 1978b Ref
New Century Shakespeare Handbook PR2892 C4 Ref
Reader’s Encyclopedia of Shakespeare PR 2892 C3 Ref
Shakespeare A to Z PR2892 .B69 1990 Ref

Characters

In-depth information on one or more of Shakespeare’s literary characters.

Shakespeare Name Dictionary PR2892 D33 1995 Ref
Shakespeare’s Characters for Students PR2989 .S53 1997 Ref
Who’s Who in Shakespeare PR2989 Q4 1973b

Language/Vocabulary

Definitions and pronunciation guides to Shakespeare’s language.

All the Words on Stage PR3081 S27 2002 Ref
Pronouncing Shakespeare PR3081 C87 1998 Ref
Pronouncing Dictionary of Shakespearean Proper Names PR3081 I65 1945 Ref
Shakespeare Glossary PR2892 .O6 1986 Ref

Concordances

Find exactly where a particular word is in a play or poem.

Concordance to Shakespeare PR2892 E34 1979 Ref
Shakespeare Concordance PR2892 S6 Ref
Criticism

Bloom Books

Include critical, structural, and thematic essays about Shakespeare’s plays, as well as biographical information about the author, character analyses, and suggestions for further reading.

Bibliographies

Find further sources of information on Shakespeare’s life and works.

Annotated Shakespeare

Essential Shakespeare

Journals

These scholarly journals are all held by NSU Libraries or appear full-text in Literature Resource Center.

Shakespeare Criticism

Shakespeare Quarterly

Shakespeare Survey

Quotations

Home Book of Shakespeare Quotations

Standard Book of Shakespeare Quotations

ELECTRONIC RESOURCES

Online Catalog and Databases

Search for books owned by NSU Libraries:

NSU Libraries Catalog

Databases to search for articles on Shakespeare-related topics:

Academic Search Premier

Biography Resource Center

MLA Bibliography (most appropriate for graduate and faculty level research)

Internet Resources

Folger Shakespeare Library

Mr. William Shakespeare and the Internet

Plays of William Shakespeare

Project Gutenberg

Shakespeare.com

Shakespeare Online

The Complete Works of William Shakespeare

http://www.folger.edu/

http://shakespeare.palomar.edu/

http://www.theplays.org/index_main.html

http://promo.net/pg/

http://www.shakespeare.com/

http://www.shakespeare-online.com/

http://the-tech.mit.edu/Shakespeare/